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In re Application of

Takeshi TAKAGI

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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME

REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL FILING RECEIPT

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Sir:

The above-referenced patent application was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 25, 2003, as evidenced by the attached copies of the return receipt postcard and transmittal letter. To date, the undersigned has not received the Official Filing Receipt regarding this application.

It is respectfully requested that the undersigned be furnished with an Official Filing Receipt as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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Other:

34 pages of Specification

6 pages of Claims

1 pages of Abstract

11 pages of Formal Drawings

☐ Small Entity

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☒ Recordation of Assignment

☐ Information Disclosure Statement

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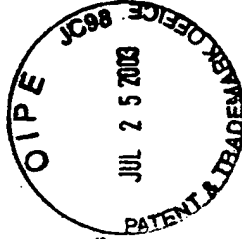
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☒ Certified Copy of Priority Doc.

☒ Claim for Convention Priority

☐ Response/Amendment to Office Action of

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- ☐ Not. of Appeal
- ☐ Appeal Brief
- ☐ Rule 312 Amendment/Letter
- ☐ Req. for Acknowledgement of Cited Art
- ☐ Issue Fee
- ☐ Publication Fee
- ☐ Req. for Certificate of Correction
- ☐ Maintenance Fee for years after grant
- ☐ Fee Address Indication Form
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer
- ☐ Petition to Commissioner
- ☐ Status Inquiry
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REQUEST FORM FOR CONTINUATION APPLICATION UNDER 35 USC 111(a)

Prior Application:

Art Unit:

Examiner:

International Application No. PCT/JP03/04814

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Sir:

This is a Request for filing a continuation, entitled SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME, under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) of pending prior International Application No. PCT/JP03/04814, filed on April 16, 2003, entitled SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME, by the following named inventor(s):

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1. ☒ I hereby verify, to the best of my knowledge, that the enclosed copy of this prior application is a true copy of the above-identified prior application.
2. ☐ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- 2a. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO1449 Form are submitted herewith.
3. ☐ Cancel claims

4. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application:

	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	AMOUNT
Total Claims	21	-20	1	\$18.00 =	\$18.00
Independent Claims	2	-3	0	\$84.00 =	\$0.00
Basic Application Fee					\$750.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$280.00					\$0.00
Total Application Fee					\$768.00
Subtract ½ if small entity					\$0.00
Assignment & Recording Fee					\$40.00
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE					\$808.00
AMOUNT TO BE CHARGED TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 500417					\$808.00

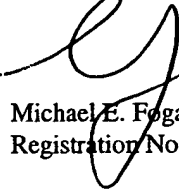
- 4a. ☐ Enclosed is a Verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- 4b. ☐ A verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 was filed in prior application and such status is still proper and desired.
5. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any extension of time fees including any extension of time fees to maintain the pendency of the parent application Serial No. _____ or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.
6. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --This application is a continuation of International Application Serial No. PCT/JP03/04814 filed April 16, 2003, which claims priority of Japanese Application Serial No. 2002-115037, filed on April 17, 2002, in Japan.--
7. ☒ Priority of Japanese Application Serial No. 2002-115037 filed on April 17, 2002, in Japan and International Application No. PCT/JP03/04814 filed April 16, 2003 designating the U.S. is claimed under 35 USC 119, 120 and/or 365. A certified copy of the Japanese priority document is enclosed.
8. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to
MATSUSHITA ELECTRIC INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD.
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9. ☐ The power of attorney in the prior application is to:
10. ☒ Also enclosed: Declaration and Power of Attorney
Assignment
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11. ☐ A petition, fee and response has been filed to extend the term in the pending prior application until
12. ☒ Address all future communications to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record)

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